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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office action of August 25, 2005, please amend this application as follows:

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